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What to Expect at Fall Basketball

As we begin our Youth Sports program, we have implemented additional safety procedures for the health and safety of youth development participants, volunteers, and staff.

- For our 2020 Fall Basketball program at the Y, your athlete will be placed on a team in Thunder Basketball Training Camps. These training camps will be led by YMCA of Greater Tulsa sports staff using our YMCA of Greater Tulsa and Thunder Basketball curriculum and training plans. Throughout the week at their training camps, your athlete will grow in their skill development in a safe and controlled environment. As we progress in the weekly training camps your athlete will also play games against other teams in a smaller format than that of traditional Y sports, such as a 3 versus 3 format as an example. This smaller game format will provide more playing time as well as increased social distancing in our gyms. Your athlete's coach will be the Y staff that leads their training camp. We will also continue to use volunteers in our Y Thunder Basketball Training Camps to support the athletes, as well as support the Y staff leading the practices and games.
- All athletes, volunteers, and staff will check in at a predetermined table outside the gym where every child's, volunteer, and staff member's temperature will be taken with a No Contact Infrared Forehead Thermometer and a wristband will be provided once this is complete. No one should attend practice or a game if not feeling well, has a fever, currently under quarantine, or has been in contact with someone with COVID-19 in the last 14 days. Personal health and safety are the responsibility of all players, volunteers and spectators.
- Children and staff with a 100 degree temp or the below health and safety questions answered yes will not be allowed to stay for the program. Those with a temperature over 100 degrees will not be allowed to return for 3 days at this point there must be a proven improvement in temperature.
- YMCA of Greater Tulsa sports staff as well as Janitorial Staff are routinely cleaning, sanitizing and disinfecting equipment.
- We highly encourage all participants to follow CDC protocols for face coverings as well as the YMCA of Greater Tulsa current facility guidelines on health and safety. YMCA of Greater Tulsa staff will wear face coverings in program areas.
- Please limit the number of personal items that are brought to practices and games.
- During this time there will not be a lost and found. Please ensure that your child is responsible for the necessary items that they bring to practices and games. The limiting of lost and found will result in items that are left not being in the facility the next day.
- Equipment will be sanitized between each practice.
- Basketball equipment will be provided by YMCA, no personal equipment should be brought to practice. Players are discouraged from bringing their personal ball to games and practices.
- Players should not share water bottles and drink containers; we encourage you to bring your own drinks to practices and games.
- YMCA Game Balls will be cleaned routinely during games by Y Staff.

- Avoid having large group team meetings before or after the game where distancing can not occur.
- Post game congrats will given by players in the form of a friendly wave to the opposing team by lining up across from each other after the game.
- The YMCA Youth Sports Pledge will be done with each team spread out along the midline with distancing before all games.